

GERMANS IN MEXICO BUSY

Spread Anti-American Anti-Entente Propaganda Through Country

REPORTS TELL OF NEW ATROCITIES

Barbosa Says War Irresistibly Draws Brazil into the Struggle

Washington, April 17.—Further evidence of German activities in Mexico, spreading anti-American and anti-entente propaganda, and exerting German influences upon the Mexican government are contained in diplomatic reports passing through here to European capitals. Funds of several foreign banks are reported to be in danger. Circulation of any matter at all favorable to the United States of the entente is disapproved by Mexican officials, and the newspaper El Universal recently was suppressed because of publications disapproved by German agents. The publisher and editors have been summoned before a military tribunal.

Property of foreigners, Germans excepted, is said to be in constant danger. Efforts of the German propagandists and agents are being directed especially against materials which might be of assistance to the enemies of Germany. The writer of one of the reports asserts that he has information that 12,000 barrels

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May 7, 1916.

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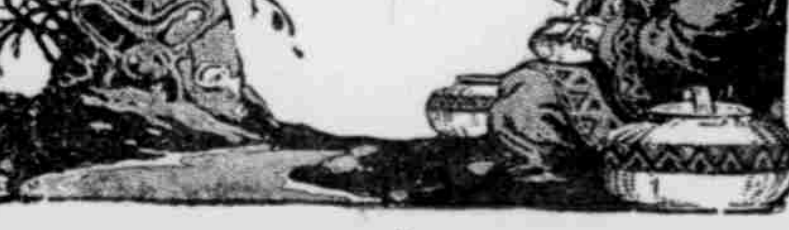
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The most successful combination spring medicine treatment that we know of—because perfectly "compatible" and productive of the best results—is in Hood's Sarsaparilla and Peptonin Pills. The former thoroughly searches out and expels impurities from the blood, while Peptonin Pills give the powerful tonic—they literally "put iron into your blood."

Hood's Sarsaparilla should be taken before meals and Peptonin Pills after meals—patients taking them so report the benefit is four-fold—prompt, positive, permanent. Both these medicines are economical and pleasant to take.—Adv.

of oil, the property of the Eagle Oil Co., a British concern, has been burned at Minutitan.

The German bank and the German legation in Mexico City are said, in these reports, to be dominating Mexican affairs more than ever, the former having intimately connected itself with Mexican finances and the latter guiding and advising the government.

WHEAT SELLS FAR ABOVE OLD RECORDS

May Delivery at \$2.37 3/4 a Bushel, in Chicago, and May Corn at \$1.43—Prices the Highest Ever Known.

Chicago, April 17.—Scarcity of offerings and the eagerness with which they were snapped up hoisted wheat prices yesterday far above previous records. The May delivery, which was especially in demand, went to \$2.37 3/4 a bushel, against \$2.24 1/2 to \$2.25 at Saturday's finish. Opening price, which ranged from 2 1/2 cents decline to 1 1/2 cents advance with May at \$2.25; to \$2.26, and July at \$1.90 1/2 to \$1.90 3/4, were followed by decided upturns all around until the highest prices ever recorded were reached. The July option sold at \$2 flat just before the close.

Corn as well as wheat jumped to new top figures. Oats advanced with other cereals. May corn sold at \$1.43.

"WAR WON ON GRAIN FIELDS."

Gov. Lowden Appeals to Illinois Farmers.

Springfield, Ill., April 17.—In a proclamation to the citizens of Illinois, which recites the conviction that "this war is likely to be finally won not upon the world's battlefields, but in America's grain fields," Gov. Frank O. Lowden appeals to the farmers of the state to increase the volume of their crops and products and to the consumers to avoid waste and extravagance.

Gov. Lowden asked the farmer to test and screen all seed corn in order to insure the biggest possible return, to cease experimenting with new crops and to engage in the intensive production of livestock.

REVIVING PEACE TALK

Germany Launches Scheme to Force Peace Action by the Allies

HOPE FOR PACT WITH RUSSIA

Suggests Visit to The Hague by Colonel E. M. House

Copenhagen, April 17.—Germany is secretly seeking to revive peace talk in all belligerent countries.

She asks peace—still on her own terms—though doubtless somewhat amended. In December Germany asked peace and was refused. Now she is planning to maneuver the allies into asking her for peace.

The scheme as established by information from high sources here yesterday is an ambitious one and world-wide in its scope.

Positive confirmation of unofficial overtures from Berlin to the United States, as reported in United Press dispatches last Thursday, was obtained yesterday. The hint came even stronger from German sources that the United States would do well to send Col. E. M. House to The Hague for conference with German representatives.

The main intrigue, however, whereby Germany hopes to start a movement for her enemies to ask Berlin for peace was apparently being exerted through German Socialists. Suddenly Socialists in Teutonic empire have become favored individuals. Their leaders have been assiduously cultivated by German officials.

The German censorship has been unprecedentedly loosened to permit their communicating with Socialists in such enemy countries as Russia. Most of all, the drastic German rules prohibiting departure of her men from the empire and of holding communication with enemy citizens has been formally raised to permit the departure of Philip Scheidemann and other Socialists for conferences with Socialist comrades of enemy nations.

The Russian government may not be falling in with Germany's plans, but certainly Russian ultra-Socialists have been communicating with German Socialists and some Russian radicals have left for conferences with Germans.

Germany is evidently exerting tremendous pressure, through use of her Socialists, for a separate peace with Russia. That may be the main part of her peace plotting. But the feelers encountered yesterday indicated this as only a part of the German scheme to obtain a strategic position. It was noted in all the peace "feeders" Germany is carefully avoiding any mention of terms.

In the meantime, German newspapers, in obviously inspired articles, are reiterating that Germany cannot make any important concessions from the terms unofficially noised about at the time of Von Bethmann-Hollweg's proffer in December. The Danish foreign office yesterday formally declared Danish Socialists were not participants in the supposed Socialist conferences.

Austria Puts Out Feeler for Peace with Russia

Paris, April 17.—A semi-official statement has been issued in Vienna declaring that Austria desires peace with the Russian people and that there is no real obstacle to this aim, according to a Zurich dispatch to the Radio agency. The dispatch quotes a statement issued by a semi-official press bureau in Vienna in which it is said that the Austro-Hungarian monarchy has taken note of the recent declaration of the Russian provisional government that it does not seek foreign territory, but desires a durable peace founded on the rights of peoples to dispose of themselves. The statement says that the Austro-Hungarian government is inspired by the same desire and continues:

"Therefore, both having common ends, it is not difficult to find means of arriving at accord. This is much less difficult, since his majesty, the emperor of Austria and king of Hungary, in perfect union with his allied monarchs, wishes to live in future peace and friendship with the Russian people."

WORLD PEACE SOUGHT NOW BY GERMAN SOCIALISTS

M. Stauning Denies Copenhagen Meeting Is Designed to Urge Separate Pact with Russia.

Copenhagen, April 17.—A largely attended Socialist peace meeting for women yesterday was addressed by M. Stauning, a Socialist and minister without portfolio, who was selected by the German Socialists as an intermediary for the transmission of telegraphic peace overtures to the Russian Socialists. M. Stauning denied that a separate peace between Russia and Germany was the aim or either the German or the Danish Socialists. All their efforts were directed

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Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Rock had. Foster-McIlhenny Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

FAMILY DOCTOR'S GOOD ADVICE

To Go On Taking "Fruit-a-tives" Because They Did Her Good

ROCHESTER, JAN. 14th, 1915.

"I suffered for many years with terrible indigestion and constipation. I had frequent dizzy spells and became greatly run down. A neighbor advised me to try 'Fruit-a-tives'. I did so and to the surprise of my doctor, I began to improve, and he advised me to go on with 'Fruit-a-tives'."

I consider that I owe my life to 'Fruit-a-tives' and I want to say to those who suffer from indigestion, constipation or headaches—'try Fruit-a-tives' and you will get well'. CORINE GAUDREAU. 50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ogdensburg, N. Y.

ed, he said, to a general world peace on a basis which would prevent wars in future. M. Stauning declared that the reports that were now being circulated against the ostensible plan of the German Socialists to negotiate a separate peace with Russia—a plan which was non-existent—were inspired by opposition to the whole idea of peace at present.

WILSON ABOUT TO LAY CARDS ON TABLE IN GERMAN SPY PLOT

President Believes Full Publicity Regarding Activities of Kaiser's Secret Service Agents Will Stimulate Co-operation in War Plans.

Washington, April 17.—Sensational ramifications of German secret service activities in the United States may soon be laid in fullest account before the American public.

Creation of the bureau of public information, to facilitate dissemination of government news, has signalled a growing sentiment among high administration sources to take the people as completely into the confidence of the government as possible.

President Wilson and Secretary Daniels are known to be especially anxious to open up more widely news channels, believing that the more the country knows of what's going on the more hearty will its war co-operation become. One of the first moves of publicity advocates, it became known yesterday, will be strong effort to open up certain archives of the state department dealing with German espionage.

WAITSFIELD

James Moriarty returned Saturday to St. Johnsbury academy.

Harry McAllister of the second Massachusetts regiment is home on two weeks' furlough.

Charles A. Brigham returned Saturday to S. O. Joslin's.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Jones gave a sugar party Saturday afternoon in their sugar house.

The Y. P. B. C. of the Congregational church will hold a "backyard" social at the church vestry Friday evening, April 20. Fines for not having some article on backyard. Enter at kitchen door.

Remember the Home circle dinner Wednesday noon at the Congregational church.

W. A. Remele is spending the week in Montpelier.

Miss Edith Strong of East Warren is at H. N. Bushnell's.

Rev. Isaac Mellor is attending the M. E. conference at Newport.

GRANITEVILLE

Misses Jessica MacIver and Christina Graham have returned to Danville, to their schools, after passing a month's vacation at their homes here.

W. H. Paine has returned from Richmond, where he has been visiting his brother.

Mrs. C. E. Frenier and son of Barre are visiting relatives here.

The parochial school opened yesterday after two weeks' vacation.

Miss Agnes Gleason returned Sunday from her home in Richmond, where she has been spending the spring vacation, the Williamstown schools having reopened Monday morning.

Miss Clara Eyrault has returned to her school work in Cabot.

Miss Yvonne Morin, who is connected with the training course at the Fanny Allen hospital, arrived here to-day for a visit at her home.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Scores.

At New York—Washington and New York, cold weather.

At St. Louis—Cleveland and St. Louis, wet grounds.

At Detroit—Chicago 4, Detroit 0.

At Philadelphia—Boston 6, Philadelphia 1.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	4	1	.800
Cleveland	3	1	.750
Boston	3	1	.750
Washington	2	1	.667
New York	1	2	.333
Philadelphia	1	3	.250
St. Louis	1	3	.250
Detroit	1	4	.200

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Scores.

At Boston—Boston 3, Philadelphia 1.

At Brooklyn—New York 5, Brooklyn 0.

At Cincinnati—Pittsburgh 8, Cincinnati 4.

At Chicago—St. Louis 5, Chicago 1.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New York	3	0	1.000
St. Louis	4	2	.667
Philadelphia	2	1	.667
Cincinnati	3	3	.500
Chicago	3	3	.500
Boston	1	2	.333
Pittsburgh	2	4	.333
Brooklyn	0	4	.000

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You see one of them here; Varsity Six Hundred and belt back; very becoming to well-built men and young men.

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Miss Ivaloo Rummy was in Northfield last Friday.

Frank Robinson from Burlington visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Robinson, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Steves left here last week for Williamstown, Mass., where they have employment.

Mrs. Sarah Davis, who had been spending the winter with her children in Northfield, returned here last week.

H. W. Crockett left last Saturday for

Whitefield, N. H. His mother will accompany him home.

Mrs. Herring is visiting friends in Colchester.

Mrs. Orrin Kimball visited friends in Randolph over Sunday.

Miss Eva Hadley spent Sunday with friends in Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Patterson recently visited his sister, Mrs. Mary Bailey, who is very ill in the hospital at Hanover, N. H.

Mrs. H. Magowen was in Northfield last week.

Mrs. Susan Dodge, who is living with

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Gove, had a shock last Thursday. She is reported as more comfortable now.

Miss Helen Glines has returned to Putnamville after spending some two weeks with her parents.

Last Saturday afternoon Mrs. M. D. Glines gave a birthday party at her home in honor of her mother, Mrs. E. A. Glines, who was 80 years old. A poem was read by her daughter, Mrs. F. B. Bailey, written for the occasion. Light refreshments were served and the afternoon was well spent, all wishing her many more returns of the day.



He's telling her that nothing he received from home brought more joy, longer-lasting pleasure, greater relief from thirst and fatigue, than

WRIGLEY'S THE FLAVOR LASTS

She slipped a stick in every letter and mailed him a box now and then.

Naturally he loves her, she loves him, and they both love WRIGLEY'S.

Chew it after every meal.



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